

SB 1255

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1. Line 141, introduced, after Commonwealth

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, including strategies and methods to continue to improve care coordination in hospital emergency departments and reduce the frequency of visits by high-volume emergency department utilizers

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2. After line 154, introduced

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8. The Advisory Council established in subsection C shall continue to ensure information is shared among emergency departments throughout the Commonwealth and all hospitals operating emergency departments in the Commonwealth, all Medicaid managed care contracted health plans, the state employee health insurance plan, all Medicare plans operating in the Commonwealth, and all commercial plans operating in the Commonwealth, excluding ERISA plans, and shall participate in the emergency department information exchange program to continue to improve care coordination in hospital emergency departments and reduce the frequency of visits by high-volume emergency department utilizers.

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3. Line 159, introduced, after contractor shall

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establish an advisory council

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continue and rename the Emergency Department Care Coordination Advisory Council established by Chapter 836 of the Acts of Assembly of 2017 as the smartCHaRt network Program Advisory Council

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4. Line 295, introduced, after 2.

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That the provisions of the first enactment of this act shall become effective on January 1, 2024.

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5. Line 297, introduced, after **history**

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and medication reconciliation